

# KRS-One Lyrics

## "2nd Quarter - Free Throws"

Anybody in here right now with tape decks turn em on  
and put em on record, I'll give you a second  
I want to add authenticity to your tape  
so when it's sold out in the street  
you all can know this was a real party

These are poems circulating throughout the nation  
everybody's bad and everybody's tough  
but how many people are intelligent enough  
to open up their eyes and see through the lies  
discipline themselves, yourself to stay alive?  
not many

That's why the universe sent me today on this stage  
with this to to say  
the rich will get richer and the poor will get poorer  
and in the final hour many heads will lose power  
what does the rich versus the poor really mean?  
psychologically it means you got to pick your team  
when someone says the rich gets richer  
visualize wealth and put yourselves in the picture  
the rich get richer, cause they work towards rich  
the poor get poorer, cause their minds can't switch from the ghetto  
let go, it's not a novelty

you could love your neighborhood without loving poverty  
follow me, every mother, father, son, daughter  
there's no reason to fear the New World Order  
we must order the whole new world to pay us  
the New World Order and the old state chaos  
the Big Brother watching over you, is a lie you see  
Hip-Hop could build it's own secret society  
but first you and I got to unify  
stop the negativity and control our creativity  
the rich is getting richer, so why we ain't richer?  
could it be we still thinking like niggas?  
educate yourselves, make your world view bigger  
visualize wealth and put yourselves in the picture!

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